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### PURELY PERSONAL

Mrs. Claude Bryner of Hiawatha was here the first of the week visiting friends and relatives.

Robert Menzies is down from Winter Quarters as a delegate to the republican county convention.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Thorpe of Castle Gate were recent visitors with friends and relatives at Springville.

L. W. Masters of the Provo Herald was in Price yesterday on political business, leaving later for Emery county.

Chris K. Jensen and Grover Lewis are here today attending the republican county convention as delegates from that camp.

Mrs. J. W. McLean left this morning for Mt. Pleasant to be with her son, Leeland, who is under the care of Dr. Winters.

Miss Bessie Kennedy is in Sunnyside this week displaying the latest styles in fall millinery to the ladies of the big coal camp.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Santschi of Black Hawk came down yesterday to attend the Sutherland rally and be at the county convention today.

Peter Jonakis has changed his residence from Hiawatha to Sunnyside. He is one of the substantial foreign born citizens of Carbon county.

Neil M. Madsen is down this week from Scofield attending to political and business matters and will probably remain the balance of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Underhill have returned from a two weeks' visit with friends in Green River, Provo and Salt Lake City.—Mt. Pleasant Pyramid, 22d.

J. N. Marchetti will make his home at Helper for some time to come. He has been residing in and around Black Hawk for a considerable time.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Woodward of Winter Quarters returned home Monday after a short visit with Mrs. Woodward's mother, Mrs. Ella Branch, in Price.

Ernest Hall, the well known promoter of lands in Price River Valley, is at this time in Montana. He has interested several persons around him in propositions hereabouts.

J. E. Morehouse has resigned his position with the News-Advocate and leaves the first of the week for Verona to assume editorial and business management of the Vernal Express.

Mrs. Bennett Monk returned Monday from Price and Victor, where she has been visiting with her daughter, Mamie, and other relatives and friends.—Mt. Pleasant Pyramid, 22d.

W. D. Foster and C. H. Gibbs came down from Salt Lake City this morning to take in the first aid contests which will be held here tomorrow by the Utah Fuel company camps.

Mr. and Mrs. George J. Dunn are back at Scofield again from a short residence in Salina. Dunn is employed as conductor on the Scofield branch of the Denver and Rio Grande.

Joseph Smith, who has been living near Black Hawk for a consider-

The county agent and Engineer Fadis both spoke highly of the work which they saw here last week—Green River Dispatch, 22d.

William G. Milne surprised his parents and sister by dropping in Tuesday night from Marysville where he has been engineer for the Mineral Products corporation, a big concern manufacturing pitch, which, Milne says, is worth \$250 per ton. Every per cent of the material is aluminum, which will be developed as soon as a new process can be perfected. Milne had business at Price and decided that he would come on and see his parents and sister for a few hours. He has been in Marysville for about a year.—Utah Free Press, 22d.

MRS. BOXIE CHARLESWORTH SUBMITS TO TXPHOID FEVER

Mrs. Boxie Charlesworth, wife of George Charlesworth, passed away Wednesday after an illness of several weeks from typhoid fever. Besides a husband and a daughter, deceased is survived by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Ferguson, three sisters and one brother. Funeral services will be held this Friday afternoon, conducted by Bishop Albert Bryner.

### Conference Excursions

The Denver and Rio Grande offers the usual conference and state fair excursion rates of one single fare for the round trip to Salt Lake and return. Tickets on sale September 28th to October 14th, inclusive, good until October 15th, returning.

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### PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION, HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NUMBER SIX.

A Joint Resolution providing an amendment to Section 17, Article 7, of the Constitution of the State of Utah, relating to the duties of the Auditor and of the Treasurer. Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Utah:

Two-thirds of all the members elected to each of the two houses concurring therein:

Sec. 1. That it is proposed to amend Section 17, Article 7, of the Constitution of the state of Utah, so that the same will read as follows:

17. The auditor shall be auditor of public accounts. The public money shall be deposited by the treasurer under the superintendence of the board of examiners, and as provided by law.

Sec. 2. The secretary of state is hereby directed to submit this proposed amendment to the electors of the state at the next general election in the manner provided by law.

Sec. 3. If adopted by the electors of the state, this amendment shall take effect January 1, 1917.

Approved March 17, 1916.

STATE OF UTAH,

SECRETARY OF STATE'S OFFICE,

I, David Mattson, secretary of state of the state of Utah, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NUMBER SIX—providing an amendment to Section 17, Article 7, of the constitution of the state of Utah, relating to the duties of the auditor and of the treasurer, as appears of record in my office.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Great Seal of the State of Utah, this 22d day of August, 1916.

DAVID MATTSON,

Secretary of State.

First pub. Sept. 1; last Nov. 2, 1916.

### PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION, SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NUMBER EIGHT.

Proposing An Amendment to Article 13 of the Constitution of the State of Utah, relating to revenue and taxation.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Utah, two-thirds of all members elected to each of the two houses concurring therein:

Sec. 1. It is proposed to amend Article 13 of the constitution of the state of Utah, so that the same will read as follows:

1. The power of taxation shall never be surrendered, suspended, or contracted away. All taxes shall be uniform upon the same class of property within the territorial limits of the state, excepting the tax, and shall be levied and collected for public purposes only.

2. The legislature shall provide by law for an annual tax sufficient, with other sources of revenue, to defray the estimated ordinary expenses of the state for each fiscal year. For the purpose of paying the state debt,

if any there be, the legislature shall provide for levying a tax annually sufficient to pay the annual interest and principal of such debt, within twenty years from the first passage of the law creating the debt.

3. There shall be exempt from taxation property of the United States, of the state, counties, cities, towns, school districts, municipal corporations and public enterprises, save that buildings therein used exclusively for other religious, charitable, educational, and places of historical value, or used for private or corporate benefit.

4. Individuals, families, estates, and firms owned and used by individuals or corporations for irrigating lands owned by such individuals or corporations, or the individual members thereof, shall not be separately taxed so long as they shall be owned and used exclusively for such purposes provided, that mortgages upon real and personal property shall be exempt from taxation; and that the taxes of the indigent poor may be remitted or abated at such time and in such manner as may be provided by law.

5. The legislature shall not impose taxes for the support of any county, city, town or other municipal corporation, but may, by law, vest in the corporate authorities thereof, respectively, the power to assess and collect taxes for all purposes of such corporation.

6. The surface ground of all mines and mining claims, both placer and rock in place, containing or bearing gold, silver, copper, lead, iron or other valuable metals, after purchase thereof from the United States, shall be taxed at a value not greater than the price paid to the United States therefor, unless the surface ground, or some part thereof, or any part of claim is used for other than mining purposes, and has a separate and independent value for such other purposes, in which case said surface ground, or any part thereof, so used for other than mining purposes, shall be taxed at its value for such other purposes as provided by law; and all machinery used in mining, and all property and surface improvements upon or appurtenant to mines and mining claims, which have a value separate and independent of such mines or mining claims, shall be taxed as provided by law; all lands containing coal, graphite, stone, gypsum, sand, gravel, hydro-carbons, asphaltum, or other valuable mineral deposits, other than those enumerated above in this section, after purchase thereof from the United States and all property and surface improvements upon or appurtenant to such lands which have a value separate and independent of all such lands shall be taxed as provided by law. In addition to the assessment of the surface grounds, improvements, and machinery of mines and mining claims, all mines and mining claims producing net proceeds shall be taxed at a value not to exceed three times such net proceeds.

7. An accurate statement of the receipts and expenditures of the public moneys shall be published annually in such manner as the legislature may provide.

8. The rate of taxation on property for state purposes shall never exceed eight mills on each dollar of valuation to be apportioned as follows: Not to exceed four and one-half mills on each dollar of valuation for general state purposes; not to exceed three mills on each dollar of valuation for district school purposes; not to exceed one-half mill on each dollar of valuation for high school purposes; that portion of the state tax apportioned to high school purposes shall constitute a fund to be called the "high school fund" and shall be apportioned to the cities and school districts maintaining high schools in the manner the legislature may provide. And whenever the taxable property within the state shall amount to four hundred million dollars, the rate shall not exceed five mills on each dollar of valuation; unless a proposition to increase such rate, specifying the rate proposed and the time during which the same shall be levied, be first submitted to a vote of such of the qualified voters of the state as in the year preceding the next general election shall have paid a property tax assessed to them within the state, and the majority of those voting thereon shall vote in favor thereof, in such manner as may be provided by law.

9. The making of profit out of public moneys, using the same for any purpose not authorized by law, by any public officer, shall be deemed a felony, and shall be punished as provided by law, but part of such punishment shall be disqualification to hold public office.

10. No appropriation shall be made or any expenditure authorized by the legislature, during any fiscal year, excepting that the total tax then provided for by law, and applicable for such appropriation or expenditure, unless the legislature making such appropriation, shall provide for levying a sufficient tax, not exceeding the rates allowed in Section 6 of this article, to pay such appropriation or expenditure within such fiscal year. This provision shall not apply to appropriations or expenditures to suppress insurrections, defend the state, or assist in defending the United States in time of war.

11. Nothing in this constitution shall be construed to prevent the legislature from providing a stamp tax, or a tax based on income, occupation, licenses or franchises.

Sec. 2. The secretary of state is hereby ordered to give this proposition to be published in at least one newspaper in every county in the state where a newspaper is printed and published for two months preceding the next general election.

Sec. 3. This proposition shall be submitted to the electors of this state at the next general election for their approval or disapproval. All official ballots used at such election shall have printed or written thereon the words, "For the amendment to Article 13 of the Constitution, relating to taxation." "No," and shall otherwise be prepared and submitted to the electors as may be otherwise provided by law, and said ballot shall be received, counted, and canvassed, and returns thereon be made in the same manner and in all respects as in or may be provided by law, in the case of election of state officers.

Sec. 4. If adopted by the electors of the state, this amendment shall take effect January 1, 1917.

Approved March 17, 1916.

STATE OF UTAH,

SECRETARY OF STATE'S OFFICE,

I, David Mattson, secretary of state of the state of Utah, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NUMBER EIGHT—providing an amendment to Article 13 of the constitution of the state of Utah, relating to revenue and taxation.

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